

By the House of Delegates,
December 29th, 1831.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose to appoint a committee to consist of five members of this house, in conjunction with such gentlemen as may be appointed by your honorable body, to devise such measure of respect as may be deemed proper to be paid to the memory of Daniel Martin, Esq. late governor of this state; we have appointed on the part of this house Messrs. Teackle, Brewer, Hood, Brown of Queen Ann's, and Laurenson.

By order,

G. G. Brewer, Cl'k.

Mr. Handy obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act entitled An act for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court. Ordered, That Messrs. Handy, Roberts and Pearce, report the same.

Mr. Brookhart obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to prevent the manumission of slaves in this state, and for other purposes. Ordered, That Messrs. Brookhart, Edelen, Handy, Sothoron and Moores, report the same.

Mr. Stansbury obtained leave to bring in a bill, to encourage the destruction of crows in Baltimore county. Ordered, That Messrs. Stansbury, Turner of Baltimore, and Holmes, report the same.

Mr. Teackle obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to provide for the cession of territorial jurisdiction, at Hooper's Island, in Dorchester county, and at Sharp's Island, in Talbot county, for the erection of Light Houses thereon, by the government of the United States. Ordered, That Messrs. Teackle, Travers and Lake, report the same.

The clerk of the senate delivered the following message:

By the Senate, December 28th, 1831.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message proposing to appoint a joint committee on the Library, and agree to the proposition. We appoint Messrs. Chapman, Mayer, and Claude, on the part of the senate.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholson, Cl'k.

Which was read.

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.